

## CT/MR students all pass boards Ground broken for science center

In yet another example of academic excellence at MSU, all members of the latest class of an imaging sciences program have passed their professional certification examinations.

The 12 students enrolled in the computed tomography/magnetic resonance (CT/MR) curriculum completed coursework this summer, and then sat for the CT and MR examinations administered by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT), the national credentialing body for CT imaging professions.

The students who took the examinations have already earned their associate's degree and their certification as radiologic technologists. The CT/MR coursework is part of their fourth-year advanced imaging component. Their education and preparation for the national boards included about 900 clinical hours spent working in affiliated hospitals.

"This is a significant accomplishment that we come to take for granted," said Dr. Gerald DeMoss, dean of the College of Science and Technology. "The IMS students consistently perform at the above expected levels. Hats off to the faculty and students in the CT/MR program for reaching their goals and accomplishing this standard of excellence."

Cyndi Gibbs, associate professor of imaging sciences, and Lynda Donathan, assistant professor of imaging sciences, are the faculty members for all CT and MR courses.

"This is wonderful news and another great accomplishment for our department," said Barbara Dehner, chair of the Department of Imaging Sciences. "Congratulations to all the graduates and Cyndi and Lynda for their work in preparing the students."

## KMEA president

Tanya M. Bromley, supervisor of student teachers and lecturer in the Department of Music, has been elected to serve a two-year term as the Kentucky Music Educators Association (KMEA) State President.

KMEA is an organization consisting of more than 2,000 professional music educators at all levels from kindergarten to the university level, which are dedicated to the cause of music education for Kentucky children. Included are in-service, pre-service and retired music educators. Associated with the Association for Music Education, KMEA serves as a voice for music educators.

KMEA events include the state professional In-Service Conference for all music educators in the Commonwealth, the All State Bands, Orchestras, and Choruses, the Intercollegiate Bands, Orchestra, and Chorus, the Kentucky State Marching Band Sanctioned Festivals and State Championship, the KMEA Solo and Ensemble Festivals, and the KMEA Large Group Festivals for band, orchestra, and chorus.

She has taught instrumental and vocal music in Kentucky for more than 30 years. Bromley was director at Pendleton County High School (1978-1997) and assistant director of the Bates Creek (1997-2003) high school bands (1997-2003).

Since 2003, she has served on the faculty of MSU where she supervises music student teachers. She also serves on the applied music faculty of Transylvania University as professor of trumpet and teaches privately in the Lexington area.

Additional information is available by calling the music department at 783-2473.

MSU broke ground Thursday (Sept. 20) for the largest capital project in the school's history. Board of Regents members, state officials and MSU representatives gathered for the ceremony to celebrate the start of the construction on the \$15.6 million research and instructional support facility which will house the Ronald G. Eaglin Space Science Center.

Education Cabinet Secretary Laura E. Owens, representing Gov. Ernie Fletcher, House Majority Floor Leader Rocky Adkins (D-Sandy Hook), Sen. Charlie Borders (R-Grayson), and President Wayne D. Andrews addressed the crowd.

## Fall Fund Drive

Morehead State Public Radio has announced its dates for the 2007 Fall Fund Drive, Sept. 29 through Oct. 5. As part of the fall fundraiser, MSPR will bring back its third annual online auction running Wednesday, Sept. 26 through Wednesday, Oct. 3. The auction will begin at noon on Sept. 26 and end at 4 p.m. on Oct. 3. The auction will be available at [www.msुरadio.com](http://www.msुरadio.com).

MSPR will ask listeners to support the programming with their financial gifts during the 2007 Fall Fund Drive. Financial gifts to MSPR also help support its student work-study program and the purchase of new equipment and supplies.

Gifts to MSPR are tax deductible and may be made online using MSPR's secure Web site at [www.msुरadio.com](http://www.msुरadio.com). Gifts also can be made by calling 783-2001 or (800) 286-9659.

MSPR will explore the theme "Public Matters" during the fall fundraising campaign. "At MSPR, we believe public radio plays an important role in the daily lives and routines of our listeners. We are asking our listeners to consider the importance of public broadcasting as their media source and to identify why 'public' does matter to them," said Amanda Baldwin, MSPR marketing and development director.

MSPR will again offer the popular "thank you" gifts to listeners who pledge their support. Items available will be a "Prairie Home Companion" T-shirt, an MSPR "Public Matters" sweatshirt and an embroidered messenger bag.

Listeners also will be able to participate in the online auction as a winning bid will serve as a pledge to MSPR. A variety of items will be available in the online auction including several get-away trips and packages, music, furniture, NPR merchandise, art, photography and more.

## Career fair set

The Fall Career Fair will be held from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 2 in the Crager Room of the Adron Doran University Center.

Employers from a variety of fields in both the public and private sectors will be on hand to provide MSU students and alumni, as well as the general public, with information regarding their respective businesses.

"Participants will not need to pre-register for the activity," said Julia Hawkins, career services director. "Bring copies of your resume and come prepared to visit with a future coworker."

## People in the News

Police Chief **Joe Cline** was among the members of an expert panel that met recently to discuss the future of Kentucky policing at two open forums in September, coordinated by the state's Department of Criminal Justice. Cline was part of "The Future of Kentucky Law Enforcement: The Next 10 Years," public symposia that were conducted in Richmond and Bowling Green.

When completed, the building will encompass 45,000 square feet of floor space. It will include a control center for the 21-meter space antenna system on the ridge top above Nunn Hall, RF and electronics laboratories, an anechoic chamber that mimics the electromagnetic environment of space, an advanced computing facility, a rooftop antenna test range, fabrication laboratory, classrooms, offices and reception area, and a digital Star Theatre. The yet-unnamed building is under construction just east of Normal Hall on Vaughan Drive,

The building will house a research and development facility for fundamental and applied research and for instruction in the space science and astrophysics degree programs.

The control center will remotely operate the 21-meter antenna, a 13-meter antenna, a 24-foot antenna system and UHF/VHF antenna systems utilized for satellite mission support and research in radio frequency astrophysics. These systems will be operated from the center which will schedule satellite passes, acquire telemetry from satellites, and operate the largest antenna in radio telescope mode.

The digital Star Theatre will be a 121-seat, multi-function, digital classroom. The room will have a full dome projection system with six digital star projectors and surround sound systems. The Star Theatre will be used as an instructional tool for MSU space science students, visiting K-12 students and the general public.

## Retiree dies

Thomas L. Yancy, 68, of Scott Court, Clearfield, retired associate professor of communications at MSU, died Friday, Sept. 21.

He was born May 29, 1939, in Tyler, Texas.

Survivors include his wife of 22 years, Judith O'Dell Yancy; one brother, Roy David Yancy of Florence, Ala., and one sister, Bettie Hedrick of Spring, Texas.

Yancy came to MSU in 1977 after working as a television producer at public stations at the University of West Florida, Ohio State University, State University of New York (SUNY) at Brockport and the University of Texas.

He won a regional "Emmy" from the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences and was honored by Morehead State in 2002 with the naming of the Thom Yancy Television Seminar Room in Breckinridge Hall. He retired from the University in 2001 with 24 years of service.

He held a bachelor's degree from the University of Texas where he held a lifetime membership in the "TexasExes" alumni organization and also held a master's degree from MSU.

Funeral services were held Sept. 24 in Morehead, with burial at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. Memorials are suggested to the Morehead State University Foundation, Eagle Excellence Fund, Palmer Development House, Morehead, KY 40351.

**Dr. Janet Rice McCoy**, assistant professor of public relations and advertising, was among 323 delegates, observers, guests, board members and society headquarters staff to attend the 2007 Phi Kappa Phi National Triennial Convention recently in Orlando, Fla. Phi Kappa Phi is the nation's oldest, largest and most selective all-discipline honor society.

## International art Job vacancies

The Kentucky Institute for International Studies (KIIS) has announced the arrival in Kentucky of an art exhibition, "Cinco Maestros Michoacanos." It will be on display in the main gallery of the Claypool-Young Art Building at MSU from Oct. 3 -Nov. 2.

A reception featuring live music by the Clack Mountain String Band and refreshments will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 3 from 6 – 8 p.m.

The exhibition showcases an outstanding collection of paintings and sculptures by five renowned artists—Felipe Castañeda, Jesús Escalera, Luis Palomares, José Luis Soto González and Francisco Oñate—from the state of Michoacán in Mexico

Since KIIS's inception in 1975 with a program to Europe, the Institute has grown to sponsor programs in 18 countries.

The gallery is open weekdays, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. or by appointment. There is no charge for viewing.

Parking is available on Main Street and Elizabeth Avenue, behind Claypool-Young.

Additional information on the exhibit is available by calling Jennifer Reis, gallery director, at 783-5446.

## Wellfest 2007

MSU's Wellness Center will sponsor Wellfest 2007, on Wednesday, Oct. 24 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Crager Room, Adron Doran University Center.

Students, faculty, staff, and members from the surrounding community are invited to attend.

More than 50 booths will provide guests with information on different areas of health and wellness.

There will be free massages, nutrition and weight management opportunities, and strength training demonstrations.

A cholesterol/glucose screening will be available free of charge to those who are at least 18 years of age.

Admission is free.

Additional information is available from Melinda Melendez by calling 783-5161.

## Quickbooks

A Quickbooks workshop for individuals and small business owners will be offered by MSU's East Kentucky Small Business Development Center (SBDC) in Paintsville.

David Byron, a certified Quickbooks instructor, will present the seminar Tuesday, Oct. 2. The three-hour session will begin at 5:30 p.m., at the Kentucky Highlands Entrepreneur Center, located at 120 Scott Perry Drive which is off Teays Branch Road in Paintsville.

The topic of this workshop is use and operation of the Quickbooks accounting program. The cost is \$20. Seating is limited and advance registration is preferred.

Additional information and pre-registration are available by calling (606) 788-6008.

### EXTERNAL

**Secretary Specialist #1533**, Dean's Office, College of Business. To ensure consideration, apply by Sept. 27.

**Extended Search. Assistant Professor of Nursing #1447 (Tenure Track)**, Department of Nursing. Review of applications will begin Sept. 30 and will continue until the position is filled.

**Registrar Assistant I #1535**, Office of the Registrar. To ensure consideration, apply by Oct. 5.

**Administrative Assistant #1534**, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs. To ensure consideration, apply by Oct. 10.

**Campus Laboratory Coordinator**, Departments of Nursing and Imaging Sciences. To ensure consideration, apply by Oct. 11.

**Assistant or Associate Professor of Sociology #1526 (Tenure Track)**, Department of Sociology, Social Work, and Criminology. To ensure consideration, application materials must be received by Nov. 1. However, position will remain open until filled.

**Chair #1517**, Department of Psychology. Review of applications will begin Nov. 9 and will continue until the position is filled.

Internal applicants should obtain a copy of the job opportunity posting from the Office of Human Resources indicating the application materials required for each position. Official transcripts are required for administrative positions.

A keyboarding exercise is required for secretarial, clerk/typist and dispatcher positions and must be completed prior to the position closing date. To register for this keyboarding exercise, contact the OHR at 783-2097.

MSU is an equal opportunity/affirmative action educator and employer with a strong commitment to community engagement.

## Flamenco show

The vibrant sights and sounds of flamenco music will take the stage at MSU when FlamenCorro performs on Monday, Oct. 1.

The ensemble, which includes dancers, musicians, teachers and fans of the art, will present a show at 6:30 p.m. in Button Auditorium on MSU's campus.

The show features original music and choreography authentic to the flamenco tradition, and performances are designed to create an entertainment experience filled with the musical complexities of jazz, the soul of the blues and the mysteries of far-away cultures.

Members include: Suzanne Allen, Brent Del Bianco, Paul T. Carney, Diana Dinicola and Mariya Tarakanova, and they are all part of the larger group Flamenco Louisville.

The performance is free and open to the public. It is sponsored by the Office of Multicultural Student Services.

Additional information is available by calling LaRaissa Davis-Morris, multicultural student services coordinator, at 783-2668.

## Happenings

### Thursday, Sept. 27

Folk art exhibit: "Sudan: The Land and the People, Photographs by Michael Freeman," Kentucky Folk Art Center, exhibit runs through Sept. 30.

Morehead State Public Radio Online Auction, through Oct. 3.

Artist's lecture: A Natural Order: Artists Exploring Artifice and the Organic, with Tom Rice, 111 Claypool-Young Art Building, 10:20 a.m. and 12:40 p.m.

MSU Reading Series, with Jessica Care Moore, KFAC, 7 p.m.

Faculty recital: Chia-Ling Hsieh, piano, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m., free.

### Friday, Sept. 28

Soccer: Eagles vs. Southeast Missouri, Jayne Stadium, 7 p.m.

### Saturday, Sept. 29

Morehead State Public Radio Fall Fund Drive, through Oct. 5.

Football: Eagles vs. Dayton, JS, 1 p.m.

### Sunday, Sept. 30

Soccer: Eagles vs. Eastern Illinois, JS, 2 p.m.

### Monday, Oct. 1

Dance performance: FlamenCorro, flamenco music and dancing, Button Auditorium, 6:30 p.m.

### Tuesday, Oct. 2

Art exhibit: "5 Maestros Michoacanos: Contemporary Mexican Art Exhibition," main gallery, CY, through Nov. 2; opening reception, Oct. 3, 6-8 p.m.

Career Fair, Crager Room, Adron Doran University Center, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

MSU Music Faculty Showcase, DRH, 8 p.m.

### Wednesday, Oct. 3

Guest lecture: Dr. John Corvino, Wayne State University, BA, 8 p.m.

### Thursday, Oct. 4

Folk art exhibit: "Elliott County, Kentucky: Folk Art Crucible," KFAC; exhibit runs through Nov. 20; opening reception, 6-8 p.m.

Concert: MSU Choirs, First Baptist Church, Main Street, Morehead, 8 p.m.

### Friday, Oct. 5

Volleyball: Eagles vs. Samford, Wetherby Gymnasium, 7 p.m.

### Saturday, Oct. 6

34th Annual MSU Blue and Gold Festival of Marching Bands & Championship, JS, all day.

Fall 2007 Kentucky Council of Teachers of English Regional Conference for Eastern Kentucky 205 Combs Building, 10 a.m.

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